

## Countess Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Royal Burrows and family of California returned to Countess Tuesday. They are visiting at the home of Mrs. B. H. Heft.

Mrs. Christie Wright spent the week-end with Mrs. Marnie Reid.

Mr. and Mrs. Gumble returned home Thursday from taking Donna to Great Falls.

Mrs. Pauline Cadar was a Brooks visitor last week.

The dance sponsored by the Countess Club was a great success. Even though the venue was in poor condition, a large crowd attended. Everyone reports a good time.

Mrs. Walter entertained a number of friends Monday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Pauline Cadar.

Mrs. Perry and Eleanor were callers at the Cadar home on Saturday afternoon.

## Scouts Pay Tribute To Harold Woodward

The regular meeting of the Bassano Boy Scout Troop was held in the Masonic Hall last Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. The room was decorated to put a damper on the perfect attendance week previously. However, twenty-four Scouts and S.M. McLaws turned out.

Immediately after the roll call, the Scoutmaster commenced to warm the boys up. As usual, those helpful-looking physical jacks let the boys know they were still living.

After this, A.S.M. S. C. Currie continued with his series of teaching the boys tumbling. The main principle was to get altitude. Conclusion: too many like the ground to leave it. But the Troop has many white-hopes and in the near future the whole Troop should be able to do this.

The boys then settled down to work on their pyramids and elephant walk. The pyramids are only the basis for the larger ones, but they are coming along in the style.

The elephant walk is another physical novelty that has been introduced by Mr. Currie.

The members of the Troop were very sorry to hear of the sad news of the passing of Mr. Harold Woodward, of Vulcan, Alberta.

This young gentleman was an Old Scout, formerly belonging to the Bassano Scout Troop No. 1, under the leadership of Mr. McLaws.

Scoutmaster and Mrs. McLaws, Nan and four Scouts representing the local Troop, motored to Vulcan to attend the funeral last week.

Thus came the time to leave at 9 o'clock to go home and work mentally instead of physically at homework.

## Chartered Banks Cancel Wed. Noon Broadcast

Canada's Chartered Banks released their radio time booked on a network of six Alberta Stations from 12 noon to 1:15 on Wednesday, Oct. 6, so that their listeners could hear the play by play description of the opening game of the World Series Baseball Championship. It was learned from Edmonton today.

As a result of the cancellation, the broadcast of the fifth in the series of non-political, non-controversial addresses written by Vernon Knowles for the Chartered Banks of Canada may read this short informative talk in next week's issue of the Recorder.

## TRAIN SCHEDULE AT BASSANO

Branch Lines—  
To AND FROM TRICHERIA—  
No. 87 (Mondays only) 10 a.m.  
No. 88 (Tuesdays only) 1:30 p.m.  
To AND FROM DRUMHELLER—  
No. 88 (Tuesdays only) 1:30 p.m.  
No. 87 (Wed. only) 1:30 p.m.  
To AND FROM EDMONTON—  
Leave Bassano Wed. only 10:15 a.m.  
Arrive Bassano Sat. only 1:00 p.m.  
Main Line Trains—  
No. 1 (Weekdays) arrives 7:30 p.m.  
No. 2 (Weekdays) arrives 5:15 a.m.  
No. 3 (Weekdays) arrives 5:15 a.m.  
No. 4 (Weekdays) arrives 5:15 p.m.

## High School Students Organize Literary Society

The main object of the organization is to promote a higher standard of composition in journalistic work. That is, by the production of a bi-monthly magazine, the pupils can supply articles of their own liking.

The editor and sub-editor carefully check all articles for punctuation and mistakes in grammar, etc. Thus, if all take a turn as editor or sub-editor, much good can be obtained.

However, its Society expects to do more than just produce a magazine. Thus a Social Committee has been elected to take charge in all cases where entertainment other than school is concerned. A program has been arranged for every third Friday.

All sports with other schools are to be arranged by the Sports Secretary.

The following gives a complete list of officers as elected Friday afternoon. However, none may withdraw or be recalled or replaced.

President—Hugh Berry  
Vice Pres.—Walter Bassano  
Secretary—Margaret Harper  
Treasurer—Donald MacLean  
Sports Secy.—Ramsey Broadfoot  
Social Committee—  
Mary Love, Shirley Holmes, N. Jean Marquardt.

Program Committee—  
Caroline Beeber, Dorothy Lewis, Violet Bacon, Ron Currie, Jean Marquardt.  
Editor—Gordon Smith  
Sub-Editor—Dora Pearson

## Mr. and Mrs. Main Honored At Farewell Parties Three Hills District

The following is a copy of an article appearing in last week's issue of the Three Hills Capital, telling of the thoughtfulness of residents of that district towards Mr. and Mrs. Main, now residents of Bassano.

Mr. Main assumed duties last Sunday at the local Presbyterian Church.

Previously, Mr. Main, pastor of the local Presbyterian church for the last half year, and Mrs. Main who have left for their new home in Bassano, were in the district during the past week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Main have made a host of friends in Three Hills and their departure will be a sorrow to many.

Mr. Main has proven himself to be a man of fine character with a deep sincerity of purpose and an earnestness which was shown in the manner in which he preached the Word at three points every Sunday, rain or shine, travelling at times over roads made almost impassable.

And though they now leave us, Mr. and Mrs. Main have wished it to be known that they will always have a warm spot in their hearts for their many friends, and the memory of many pleasant associations in Three Hills.

A farewell program was held in the basement of the Three Hills Church Presbyterian Church last Wednesday evening when presentations were made to the departing pastor and Mrs. Main.

Mr. Robert Shorter on behalf of the Church, presented Mr. Main with a Bible, and one will be presented from the Ladies' Guild.

Mrs. Main was given a set of silver spoons from the Ladies' Guild and the Missionary Society of Mrs. Harris.

As impassable roads kept those from Bassano from attending that evening, Mr. Harris presented Mr. Main with a fountain pen and pencil on behalf of the congregation at that point.

On presentation, each spoke a few words in appreciation as did also Rev. Rogers, Moderator of the Presbyterian Church from Calgary.

A short program was held which included a solo by Mrs. Quigley, a reading by Mrs. C. J. Davidson.

A delightful lunch was partaken of at the close.

## Bassano Young Men's Club Is Being Planned

The Young Men Realize the Need of an Organization Which Will Provide 'Something to Do' in Spare Time.

Plans are being laid for a young men's club in Bassano—something which the town has lacked for a long time. Although Bassano boasts all of the advantages of the larger centers, in that we have many facilities for sport and recreation, there is one complaint that is voiced on all sides—lacking the town is, and there is nothing to do. The fault, however, lies with the people and not with the town. Realizing this, some of the young men have decided on organizing a Young Men's Club.

The main objects of the Club will be two-fold: to provide a pleasant place for young men to spend their evenings, and to provide some educational and recreational activities to occupy their spare time. The young men also hope, through their organization, to do their share of community work—work which is now left entirely in the hands of older members of the town.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

## Twenty-four Hour Rain Drenches Bassano District

Farmers Faced With Outlook. Some Crops Not Yet Harvested.

For the first time in a great number of years, Bassano and district were subject to a twenty-four hour rainfall during the past week. The first few days of last week were dull and drizzly, but on Saturday morning, with a heavy clouded sky, rain in a steady down-pour, commenced. Later in the morning the density of the fall lessened to a nice steady shower, which continued throughout the day and on into the evening. Very little snow fell during the week.

The moisture upon falling was immediately soaked up by the dry soil, and very much of any consequence were to be seen. Very fortunately, the quantity of moisture that fell did not all come at once and run off the land, but came slow and steady sinking deep into the soil. It is reported that a total of three inches fell in the district during the week.

This nearly meets the amount of rainfall in some parts of the district during the first 6 months of 1937.

While harvesting has been delayed on the restricted land, and on some farms in the Hussar district, farmers are pleased with the outlook for the fall. The abundance of rainfall that is to be "bumped" crop next year. It is to be hoped that the dry spell is over, and our district may be again favored with the abundance of rainfall that is so necessary to the farmer if he is to remain in business.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

## City Fathers Have Quiet Session

Five of the members of the local Council met in the Town Hall on Tuesday night, Oct. 6th. No business of great importance was handled at this meeting.

The Town Engineers report for September showed that the water mains had been fixed and repair work done to the disposal plant. Pumps at the pumping station on the river are in fine shape. The repair work to the big gas engine at the power plant has not yet been completed, but it will be operating shortly.

The following accounts were passed for payment.

Pay roll for Sept.	\$471.00
Town of Bassano, petty cash	43.12
Bassano School Dist.	100.00
Alta Wood Preserves Co.	\$2.00
Workmen's Compensation Bd.	1.37
Bassano Recorder	1.00
Currie and Liddy Ltd.	1.00
Andrew McKee	10.50
W. S. Playfair	37.50
John Scholten	1.00
Wm. McLaws	15.00
Prov. Treasurer	25.50
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$1,247.10</b>

## Typing Classes Started at Bassano School Tuesday Night

On Tuesday night of last week, several young people of Bassano attended the first of the lessons in typing to be taught in the special night classes at the local school. The lessons are very easily understood by students and show promise of being very interesting as progress is made.

A number of typewriters in the school are at the disposal of students taking the course. These are of the new "relax" type.

Remember, these classes are not confined solely to school students. Any man or woman, of any occupation, who is interested in learning to type, may take the lessons.

A small monthly fee is charged, to merely cover the cost of upkeep of the machines. Already a number have enrolled, and there is promise of several more students.

It is interesting to note that a course in typing at a Business School, expenses run high. Therefore, it is to your advantage to acquire of this type. Messrs. or Mr. Currie of the local teaching staff, who will be glad to inform you of the details of the course. You will be amazed at how reasonable it is.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18 years of age or over are invited to attend. There will be no restrictions as to membership, except the minimum age requirement. Everyone is welcome. Please remember that, for without a large membership the club cannot possibly succeed. J. Lorraine, Wm. McLaws, W. J. McDonald, James Johnston, H. W. Harper and others have consented to conduct the first meeting, to offer suggestions and to assist in the general organization.

As the first step in organization, a meeting has been called for the coming Monday night, October 11th, at 8 o'clock in Mr. H. Smith's office. All who are 18

## BASSANO RECORDER

Published every Thursday at the Office of the Bassano Recorder, in the Currie and Milroy Building, Bassano.  
Advertising rates furnished on application.  
NORMAN G. CARY  
Publisher.

## ALBERTA—WHITHER GOEST THOU?

With practically every business, industry, trade, or calling in the Province licensed and controlled by one man; with banks and other credit corporations proposed to provide the promised dividend from sources and means other than the fountain pen or velocity dollars; with the press proposed to be throttled and gagged; with recall of elected members rendered impossible; with the R.C.M.P. on the way out; with practically every sane business man wondering what next; with hitherto unheard of horrors rampant throughout the Province, and men, alleged to be sane at that, talking of war and enemies to be exterminated—is it any wonder that "All the world wonders?"

Can it really be true that what has happened in other really unfortunate countries could take place under the Union Jack where:

"A curse shall light upon the limbs of men  
Domestic strife and fierce civil strife  
Shall cumber all the parts of Alberta."  
Or is it true that the Government is so blind to prevailing passions or so preverse in its wilful pursuits that it may be said with truth:

"O judgment, thou art left to brutish beasts.  
And men have lost their reason."  
The Government would be wise if it did stop, look and listen to the rumblings that are self-evident everywhere. If it is satisfied that it still retains the confidence of the majority of the electors, as its spokesmen so assert with such simplicity, then the course to steer ought to be clear, and it should call a general election and let the matter be decided in the good old-fashioned British way: by the battle of ballots. In its own best interest it should do so before an election is forced on it through constitutional means or inability to attain its desired objective for whatever reason, all with consequent loss of prestige to itself and its adherents.

## MUST THE MOUNTIES GO?

The Mounted Police is an efficient force, modernized in every respect to combat and prevent crime, capable of office, possessed of a personnel unequalled elsewhere in the world, backed by traditions of almost legendary character, and so possessed of a reputation for ability, fairness, fearlessness, honour and integrity unquestioned even in the debate in our Legislative Assembly which, amazing as it may seem, resulted in a vote favourable to termination of their services in this Province.

What has the Government of the Province of Alberta to fear from the Mounted Police? Why do they want a Police Force of their own? Has the Mounted Police refused to enforce any Provincial Statute? Has it failed to do what it agreed to do under the Attorney General? Can the Province save money by organizing its own force? These are questions which thinking citizens should be asking themselves, and their thinking should be to the point. Each and every one of them can be answered in the negative. To the average citizen only the last one need be enlarged upon. The Mounted Police this Province at a cost of \$225,000 per annum. It always cost us considerably more than that in the old A.P.P. days, going as high as \$480,000 one year so that we may eliminate the cost factor.

Then why terminate agreement?  
Is it to duplicate outside of the civil service the spy system which J.W. Huggill asserts operates within it? Is it to open up an avenue whereby other deluded adherents to a lost cause can get appointments they are not qualified to fill? Is it to open up a "pork barrel" through the purchase of uniforms, equipment, buildings, furniture, fixtures, rifles, and all other equipment so necessary to do police work efficiently?

These are questions which have not been answered, and they demand an answer. WHAT IS THE REAL REASON?

## THE PRESS GAG BILL

The mealy-mouthed hypocrisy of the arguments of Mr. Solon Low and his henchmen in presenting the bill commonly called the "Press Bill" before the House of the "Accurate News and Information Act" was disgusting in the extreme.

As an attack on the institution of free speech the terms of the bill are repellant. As a weapon in the hands of a party, which has proved itself to be not too scrupulous in dealing with its enemies, the bill is bad medicine. As a political move it is the major blunder of an inept, incapable administration which knows not the public mind nor its own. As an attempt to gag the press, it is a failure. It will prove the greatest boomerang the present Administration has ever let loose.

While the newspapers of Alberta would sincerely regret such attempted trespasses on their rights as the bill proposes, and while they will heartily endorse the action of the Lieutenant-Governor in reserving the bill, yet it will be with feelings of regret if the bill is actually killed. It would have been a lovely fight. It might be one yet. And if it does come to that we are betting our money on the publishers to win the battle.

There has been so much snarling and barking at the press, toadying tools of the financiers, represented by the Alberta Press, in the last two years or more, that publishers almost wish the dog would be allowed to take a bite.

It may be Hitlerian, Nazism, Fascism or any other "ism" but it need not be feared. The people of Alberta and particularly the country newspapermen, will not tolerate it.

## RECALL REPEAL

As a general proposition recall of any elected member to any deliberative assembly is an odious thing, and should not be on the Statute books of any British speaking country. Of foreign origin it put in an appearance in Alberta and formed part of the platform of the present Administration, which succeeded in putting on the books a recall statute so conceived that it was at one time thought to be impossible to recall any member to any assembly.

But "Fools Step in Where Angels Fear to Tread" and during the wrath, abuse and power of the Prophet of the North, the anti-Albertarians of Okotoks and High River took the bit between their teeth, instituted recall proceedings, and were going along at such an alarming rate, and with such good prospects of ultimate success, that the faithful saw fit to come to the rescue of the man who only a few days before from his political-religious platform, had asserted "the result would show to the world the progress Social Credit was making in Alberta."

The action of the Premier in voting against repeal of the Act fools nobody (including himself and his own party), but it is a great pity that neither he nor his party had the intestinal fortitude to permit the assault on his vaunted rhinoceros hide and good grass back to proceed to its ultimate end. As an example of "courage" and "pressing on in the face of the enemy," it stands in a class by itself. At the same time, we cannot but regret that the promoters of the recall petition, knowing just who and what they had held their fire until after the present session.

"O WAD SOME POWER THE GIFTIE GIE US  
TO SEE OURSELVES AS I'HERS SEE US." Burns.

## From Our Exchange Columns

## THE MOVE TOWARDS ANARCHY AND INSURRECTION

(From the PEACE RIVER RECORD)

A Peace River advertiser learned at first hand how irresponsible some speakers may become, and how closely approaching insurrection the recent trend has been, when Mr. R. Dixon, merchant of Dixonville and one of the local leaders in the Social Credit movement, stated that it might be necessary to "use guns in the fight against the Dominion government."

Mr. Fallow, provincial minister of public works, spoke from the same platform a few minutes later, and although he apologized for the utterances of Mr. Dixon, he believed that statement unwise only because "they have more guns than we could get." The fact was here emphasized that it has been the loose talking and scintillating preaching of Mr. Aberhart and his cabinet that has incited a certain proportion of the people to the point of insurrection and rebellion.

The apologies of either Mr. Fallow or Mr. Aberhart mean nothing. They have followed a desperate course in their deft of law and orderly government, and their actions and speeches have had an effect upon that proportion of the people who are not blessed with sufficient mental stability to reason for themselves, that tends towards mob violence. Instead of meeting their responsibility as leaders and working out the problems of the province in an orderly manner, they have spent their time talking, ever talking, endeavoring to distract attention from their own failures by condemning the mythical enemies of the country and declaring their personal superiority over the orderly government of Canada itself.

Until the past few weeks the dominion authorities have in a large measure disregarded Mr. Aberhart and his group. But the seeds of sedition and insurrection are being sown to such an extent that it is time our dominion government stepped in and called for a showdown. The majority of people in Alberta are not in accord with anarchy and rebellion, but are patriotic Canadians. It is time they were accorded protection from the deluge of anarchism that has been preached so freely and in an ever increasing extent in this province.

Revolutionists overthrow the government of Russia at a time when there were less Communists in Russia than there are in Alberta today, merely because those in authority passively allowed the agitators to pursue their nefarious ways. Alberta is tending toward insurrection and rebellion against the crown to an extent that finds a parallel only in the war time days in Russia.

## GOOD WORK DONE BY WEEKLIES

From the Edmonton Journal

The weekly newspapers of Canada are more than the merely "potential" influences in the cause of sane public thinking and action that was claimed for them by the president of their dominion association at Halifax recently.

Already they are serving that cause most faithfully and effectively. Nowhere have they shown a clearer grasp of public problems or more courage in standing by their opinions than in Alberta. The course that the weeklies of this province have followed during the critical times through which it has been passing cannot be praised too highly. The great majority of those in charge of these publications have done their calling the utmost credit.

From the MACLEOD GAZETTE

The Gazette is quite prepared to defend the right of Premier Aberhart's free speech, no matter how inconvenient his statements may be. But this must not be taken as approval of his using the Sabbath to preach false economics and to misrepresent people whom he has selected as his enemies under the disguise of a religion, which, to say the least, is unorthodox. But, while British institutions and customs hold that atheist, agnostic, pagan, and Christian alike are entitled to free speech and freedom of religion, it is open to question whether or not radio stations should be permitted to do business on the Sabbath in political programs of the type which emanates from the Calgary Prophetic Bible Institute. There are many who feel that week day stations should give quite sufficient time for business of this kind; and they also are entitled to free speech.

From the HIGH RIVER TIMES

Mrs. Gostick, M.P.P., infers that The Times is in the pay of the banks. We are not in the pay of any banks, but one bank is in our pay, very much in our pay, too much in our pay, more than we wish, more than it wishes to be, more than it would be if Mrs. Gostick's suggestions were true.

From the Blairmore Enterprise

Premier William Aberhart of Alberta, uses the Strand Theatre in Edmonton for his Sunday evening Prophetic Bible institute meetings. We aren't suggesting that there is any connection; but the other Sunday evening posters advertising the theatres next movie attraction were up, and they read: "A Tormenting Racket Exposed—'I Promise to Pay'!"

## INDIGESTION

Indigestion is a much-abused term and has no definite meaning. It is a word in general use to describe any uncomfortable feeling which the sufferer attributes to the stomach, or some part of the digestive system. The true condition may be an ulcer of the stomach, inflammation of the gall-bladder, chronic constipation, chronic appendicitis, or some one or other of the many conditions, which cause a popularly-known as indigestion.

Unfortunately because indigestion is a common complaint it is very often treated lightly, and the general tendency is for the sufferer to dose himself with a laxative or to try one of the many types of diet which his well-meaning, but medically ignorant friends will offer as a cure. Sole is often taken in large amounts, regularly or frequently, by numbers of persons, with the idea that their trouble lies in the presence of too much acid in their stomachs. If indigestion is to take place in the stomach, acid must be present, and large doses of soda, merely interfere with normal digestion.

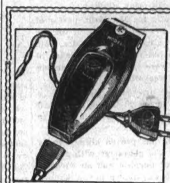
In certain cases, bran and roughage in the diet are desirable, in order to overcome constipation. If the digestive organs are irritable, it is most likely that a smooth, soft diet is what is required.

These points are mentioned in order to make clear that the proper treatment of indigestion depends, first of all, upon finding out the cause. If this is not done, actual harm results, and the condition tends to become chronic and increasingly difficult to treat.

The whole trouble may be due to bad habits of eating. Eating too quickly, washing down food with fluid instead of chewing it properly, swallowing of air as a result of gulping of food. In such cases, the trouble will be corrected by establishing proper eating habits. If there is inflammation or ulceration of some part of the digestive system, this, of course requires suitable treatment, and constipation is dealt with by regulation of diet and habits, not by drugs.

## HELP WANTED

Men over 21, to take over and build up routes, to service, take orders, and collect. Must be satisfied with \$30 per week average earnings—40 start—only men with good appearance and personality need apply. Men with cars preferred. Write: Weaver Beach Co., 103 Union Exchange Bldg., Calgary, Alta.



The SCHICK DRY SHAVER  
The Last Word in Modern Shaving

No blades, no soap, no fuss—just plug into an electric outlet and get the cleanest, cleanest, shave you ever had.

Price \$15.60  
Arrangements can be made for a month's trial and weekly or monthly payments

HENRY BIRKS & SONS, LTD.  
211-213 Ave. West, Calgary

Phone - 34

— FOR YOUR —  
Wiring and Electrical Requirements

J. T. FRASER  
BASSANO, ALTA.

Electrical Appliances and Westinghouse Radios For Sale

DR. B. E. BARLOW  
VETERINARIAN  
BASSANO - - - - - ALTA.

Dr. W. F. Keith  
DENTIST  
Phone 83 Bassano

Dr. A. G. Scott  
M. D., L.M.C.C.  
PHYSICIAN & SURGEON  
Telephones  
Office 37 - Residence 131

William McLaws  
Barrister - Solicitor - Notary  
BASSANO - ALBERTA  
Phones:  
Office 6 - Residence 128

W. S. PLAYFAIR  
Agency for  
GALT COAL  
Feed and Draying  
Phone 26; Opposite Depot

ORDER  
Cut Flowers and Plants  
Seeds and Bulbs  
From  
H. D. BACON - Bassano  
Phone 129 - Box 108

Harry Holmes  
CARPENTER and BUILDER  
Estimates given on All Work  
If you are in need of building or carpenter work of any kind  
Phone 16

WHITE ASH COAL MINE  
Ready for your Winter business  
\$4.00 per ton at the mine.

JAS. B. FINLAYSON,  
Bassano

FRESH MILK AND CREAM  
Delivered to Your Door  
Every Morning  
A. Meldinger

A. T. CONNOLLY  
Registered Optometrist



Broken lenses replaced from prescription or prices. Absolute satisfaction guaranteed  
Quick Service

Church of England  
Bassano

Sunday, October 10th, 1937  
Everson and Hermon, 8.00 p.m.  
Rev. J. H. Nayler.

Knox Presbyterian  
Church

11.00 a.m. - Sunday School  
Singing Service at 7.30 p.m.  
Subject: "The World's Greatest Announcement."  
Speaker: Mr. Mala



# The "Big Interests" in Life Insurance

## Are the Policyholders and Beneficiaries

IN Life Insurance, the "Big Interests" are the millions of Canadian policyholders and beneficiaries—men, women and children who share in the protection made possible by individual thrift and foresight.

The concern of those who act on behalf of these policyholders and beneficiaries is to safeguard their interests. Their accumulated savings, amounting to more than two billion dollars, must be invested wisely to obtain the greatest yield consistent with safety. Every promise made in Life Insurance policies must be fulfilled completely and promptly.

Canadian policyholders may feel justly proud of the wise and careful administration of their trust funds. Even in the darkest days of the depression, their companies met every obligation promptly and fully—bringing financial security to thousands of Canadian homes.

There is added satisfaction in the fact that the investment of Life Insurance funds has helped to build Canadian homes, schools and hospitals—and develop agriculture, industries and public utilities. Thus, the whole Dominion benefits from Life Insurance.

In the future, as in the past, Canadian policyholders and beneficiaries must always be the "Big Interests" of Life Insurance.

## Life Insurance



Guardian of Canadian Homes

## Fire Prevention Week, Oct. 2-9

In Canada and the United States, the week of October 2nd to 9th is being observed as Fire Prevention Week. The Dominion Fire Prevention Association in co-operation with Provincial Fire Marshals, local Fire Chiefs and others are co-operating with civic organizations in the furtherance of aims of Fire Prevention.

About 350 people are burned to death and a much larger number are injured by fire in Canada every year. The recorded loss of property by fire in Canada during the 15 years, 1921 to 1936, exceeded \$650,000,000. In other words, at our present burning rate, approximately one human life is sacrificed and \$100,000 worth of property is destroyed every day in the year.

Fire is no respecter of persons. Every man has a responsibility towards his neighbors and that responsibility should cause every right-thinking person to pause and consider what he owes the community in which he lives. We owe it to ourselves but in a greater degree to our fellow-citizens to permit no condition to exist upon our premises that will invite a visitation of fire. A great majority of fires are so easy to prevent that it is certainly a moral crime to tolerate the things which bring them about.

Check your smoke, kindling, kerosene, wax, what they are. To prevent the erection of fire-traps, to fail to provide an abundant and reliable water supply and means of using it, or to fail to follow the everyday rules of (continued on page 4)

## HEALTH

A HEALTH SERVICE OF THE CANADIAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION AND LIFE INSURANCE COMPANIES IN CANADA

### BAD BREATH

A bad breath is altogether undesirable, and, for that reason, consideration should be given by everyone to the causes of the condition in order to avoid its recurrence.

The fermentation of food particles in the mouth, will almost certainly cause a bad breath. This commonly occurs when food is held in a decaying tooth cavity. Proper care of the teeth, by brushing them regularly after meals and most important thing of all—at bedtime, in order to get rid of food particles, and by securing of regular dental care, will prevent breath from a source that is now common cause.

When there is actual disease of the mouth, such as pyorrhea, or of the adjoining parts, bad breath may result either from the condition itself or from the fermentation of food particles which the condition favours. A healthy throat and a mouth kept clean by regular use of the tooth-brush are the first considerations in preserving an effective breath.

In addition to the local conditions, which set as a cause of bad breath, there are general conditions which bring it about. We think, first, of the digestive tract because in our minds a bad taste in the mouth is frequently associated with digestive upsets. Bad breath does occur quite



October 21st, 1937

No. 5

### Editorial

After being very weak last week, we become very much alive to again give you some more information regarding the local High.

As we have said before, drama has taken a prominent position in the High School this year, so far as the Grade X pupils are concerned. On Wednesday night they joined to hold their first out-of-school practice. The play, "The Last 15th," had a very queer theme, but was very interesting. The play gives us the curious invention of a middle aged physiologist, who has invented a machine for the eradication of all women. (Good idea—we wouldn't have so much competition in our greatly column.)

Well, forgetting drama, lets look at the sports side of the news.

Baseball has got a true grip of most scholars and they have exerted their efforts for a fine team. The team work has been exceptionally good except in some cases of "grandstand thrillers" and "one hand artists."

The boys have decided that they want a rougher game, so have gone for rugby. The boys are not too much about the game, but are anxious to learn. With Mr. A. S. Currie at the helm, the locals are going to pitvits with some of the Junior teams in the district.

The soccer that had been started has been dropped, but a league could be organized with local teams and teams. I am sure the High School boys would turn out. But this is a job for the Sports Secretary, not the editor.

Regarding the Lit. Society, I believe it will be the great success, because the principals have been tried and proven. But if the pupils will not co-operate, what can be done. The magazine must be the primary success, so we suggest that you look up the old pen and start scribbling for your own magazine. It is yours, not the editor or sub-editor. However, we leave this to you.

This short panorama has been brought to you by me for your benefit. We hope that Mr. Albertson didn't succeed in enforcing his licensing bill as we still wish to remain a "wordy" mouse.

But let's get a good laugh from the columns of the High School Reporter, who keeps a constant record of those queer happenings found in the building in the north west side of town.

### LITERARY SOCIETY REVIVE

You have already read about the reviving of the Literary Society, and probably so many of you it may spell doom, and to others it will be a decided step towards the ultimate and which the Board of Education has before us.

In the preceding editorial it was mentioned that Hubert Huntington Berry was elected by a small margin to the chair. Cue Ball, however, is still undecided as to the spelling of a certain young man's name. Was it Fenolia, Hugh, or just plain Genovia? Walter ("Babe" or "Hubby" to you) Thasarsly will hold down the President's job, while, or, if, our esteemed Hubert should happen to be absent.

Much dispute was put up with in

often among those who overeat, or whose elimination is faulty. The bad breath, in such cases, is really a symptom of an abnormal condition of the digestive tract and is regarded as such by the individuals physician.

Under such conditions, the remedy lies in altering the mode of living. A proper diet, avoidance of over-eating or of over-indulgence in one or more varieties of diet, regular stimulation, increased intake of water, and exercise are the points which should first be dealt with.

The correction may unpleasant colour should always be thought of along the lines of the removal of the cause. It is much preferable to overeat many foods or regular bathing than by attempting to overpower them by using perfumes. In the same way, the logical manner of dealing with bad breath is to remove its cause.

A treatment of symptoms is necessary, but their cure and the prevention of their recurrence depend upon the treatment of the cause, the root of the condition. It never pays to temporarily associate with, digestive upsets to get to grips with the cause.

the first meeting of the society. Some misunderstanding as to the rights and wrongs of elections and to hold office were discussed. Perhaps Bob G. and Ramsey may settle their dispute now, or have they?

There are big things ahead for us in this field of dramatics, dotted here and there with vocal selections. We all the pupils of H.S.R. want and will make this the biggest success ever before seen by a literary society in Bassano. A large paper is planned if everybody co-operates, it will be the best yet.

It is perhaps an opportune time to state that even though there is a Grade 12 News, they are no better than those students in Grade 7. An amalgamation of the Grades 7-12 is the only way to carry on and to forget that foolish caste pride and put our hearts to work with the rest of the upper grades in the attempt to provide good entertainment for all concerned. However the pupils of grade 11 are not exempt from this criticism. Even the lowly grade 10 (Grade 15 might recognize the expression) students are included, though we believe the majority of them would forget their silly graded pride.

### Co-Operation in B. H. S.

Now that the old weather has come we cannot help but feel that the student will settle down to the school work.

They must keep in mind that the teachers can teach for them, but cannot learn for them. Also they must realize that Mr. Meenies has to teach three grades or 32 units, which is itself a lot more than he should be teaching. Let us do our part. Let us get off on the right foot and make his job for him as easy as possible. From past experience, we know that there are some people who expect everything from the teacher and nothing from their own school children. So why can't we all work together, who have seen our teacher, take the blame for our foolishness and neglect. All we need is co-operation and our school can be the best recommendation in the Province of Alberta. Co-operation and Good Fellowship. Come you students, let us do our best, for the good old B.H.S.

### SPORTS

Again this year, the so-called athletes of the High School sit out and do nothing but review past events and talk and plan as to what they will do in the future. In view of the fact that the B.H.S. did not under any circumstances make a good showing of itself at the spring track meet, it might be suggested that these wonderful youths of the track get down to

## FOIEN SELLS IT MORE AUCTION SALE DATES

Due to Weather Conditions, These Sales Postponed till

TUES. OCT. 19th.—J. E. GREENE, 2 Miles East of Southeast Siding, 125 Head of Cattle, 50 head of Horses, Big Line of Equipment.

WED. OCT. 20th.—At the W. B. SMITH FARM, 3 Miles South of Duchers on the gravel highway.

FRI. OCT. 8th—SELFLEDGE'S at Gem Colony

WED. OCT. 13th—At 1 p.m.—JOHN KNORR'S Sale, at Gem

WED. OCT. 15th—WAYNE FRASER'S at Millcreek.

MON. NOV. 1st—Tausif's Place at Rossmore. This is the big sale of the year, comprising 150 head of cattle, 45 head of horses, hogs, poultry, machinery, a household effects.

For Full Particulars of the Above, Sales, Watch for Posters.

MORE SALES ARE COMING UP!

## M. N. FOIEN

AUCTIONEER

License No. 6374

DUCHESSE

business and carry on with extensive training.

So far only those who make good their boasts have in any way attempted to improve their physique in order to at least have a try at the first place this year.

In past years the old school held her head well above the others, but the time has come now when the younger set, in grades 1 and 2, are not and unless something is done on their behalf by the older students, will not care to compete in the track days of the future.

The teachers are doing their part, but they cannot do the training for you or win the glory for the school. Therefore, it is absolutely left to you, the students of the Bassano High School, to do your part in the leading and training of the boys and girls interested in the athletics provided.

### Gossip

Bob Bacon and Oscar Ingelberg can't understand why they should have to rewrite Chemistry. Lincoln didn't go to school—why should they?

"Pop" Beiler answering the phone and telling indignant Mothers that "They have just left," and winds up with a mischievously quiet wink. We vote to tell that Mr. Beeler.

Ramsey is in sad need of a seamstress, after being the only one in Grade X wear over 80% in Chem. Looks bad. Must be the only one who cheated.

Shirley seems to be occupied writing letters to the war. By the way, doesn't answer them. By the way,

the writing isn't postpaid, as we are told by the party concerned.

Thoroly Lewis seems finally convinced that the boys in this town aren't worth their salt. We experience, or some fifty cent advice.

### BOY SCOUTS ON POSTAGE STAMPS

Several countries have issued special Boy Scout postage stamps from time to time, including Holland and Hungary, in connection with International Scout gatherings. Roumania has issued four series, the first in 1931.

Of these the three last issue stamps of the invasture of a Tenderfoot Scout. Scouts in camp appear on stamps and on another a Scout bringing food to a starving mother and baby. The Roumanian Chief Scout, Prince Nicholas, and King Carol in Scout Uniform appear on two high value stamps. Another series show a Wolf Cub signalling the letter "X" in semaphore, two Scouts cooking over a camp fire and a Scout with a pack and staff on the trail.

The series was over printed in 1931, the series going towards the upkeep of the Roumanian Scout Janbore of that year. The last series, of 1935, show a Sea Scout, a land Scout and a Girl Guide on the 10 leu stamp; Sea Scouts at Land Scouts on the 2 leu, a Scout bugler on the 1 leu, and a sailing Sea Scout on the half leu.

Consult your friend on all things, especially on those which respect yourself.—His counsel may be useful where your own safehouse might impair your judgment.—Someone.

**Your Big Opportunity to SAVE MONEY**  
On your FAVORITE PUBLICATIONS

As a special service to our Subscriber Families we have obtained authority, FOR A LIMITED TIME ONLY, to offer Canada's two largest weekly newspapers in combination with our local paper, at a REMARKABLY LOW COST.

### OFFER NO. 1

Family Herald & Weekly Star - 1 Year  
and BOTH PAPERS ONLY

BASSANO RECORDER, 2.00  
one year.

If so desired NATIONAL HOME MONTHLY or CANADIAN MAGAZINE may be substituted for Free Press Farmer in offer No. 2.

The above offer applies to new or renewal subscriptions.

ORDER NOW AT THESE PRICES AND SAVE MONEY!

Send or bring Your Subscription to Our Office.

### OFFER NO. 2

Free Press Prairie Farmer - 1 Year  
Family Herald & Weekly Star - 1 Year  
and ALL THREE PAPERS ONLY

BASSANO RECORDER, 2.85  
one year.

## Bassano Recorder

# The Facts on Banking in Canada

Reproduced from the Fourth Broadcast in a Series by Vernon Knowles for the Chartered Banks of Canada and Delivered Over a Province-Wide Network of Alberta Stations on Tuesday Evening, September 28th, from 8:30 to 8:45, and Wednesday, September 29th, from 12:00 noon to 12:15.

**Loans Made to 57,634 Albertans This Year . . . Sixty Per Cent to Individuals . . . How a Bank is Formed . . . Shareholders Face "Double Liability" . . . Banks Regulated by Canadian People Through Parliament . . . Deals With Bank Services . . . 49,000 Shareholders Own Canada's Chartered Banks . . . No Concentration of Power . . . Tells About Alberta's Bank Depositors and Shareholders.**

THIS year, between the first day of January and the last day of August, Canada's Chartered Banks have made loans to no fewer than 57,634 Alberta customers. Who got these loans? 50,000 of them went direct to farmers and ranchers. Other individuals obtained 12,600 loans. 1,701 home-owners got Home Improvement Loans—so that Canada's Chartered Banks this year have extended new loans to 35,253 individuals—farmers, ranchers, home-owners and other private borrowers. Commercial loans numbering 12,386 have been made to other than individuals in the same period; municipalities and school districts also obtained many new loans.

Out of 57,634 new loans made this year in Alberta, more than 60 per cent of them went to individuals. Don't let anyone tell you we've stopped lending in Alberta. Now, I return to the question, "What is a bank?" As I said in an earlier broadcast, "Above all things a bank is a place where you or your children can deposit money with absolute assurance that at any time you demand it you can get it back in full, intact and with interest."

A bank is formed by a group of responsible people who band together to offer a service which a community needs and is willing to pay for, at a rate which will yield a reasonable profit. These are the motives of any business.

Those desiring to form the bank name five Provisional Directors, who then must petition the Dominion Registrar under an Act of Incorporation. The Bank Act demands that the Provisional Directors must themselves be subscribers to shares in the bank. The Bank Act is a Dominion statute which enforces the business of operating the people's deposits and making loans would be wholly without safeguard.

After Parliament has acted, the Provisional Directors are authorized to invite public subscriptions for the shares. Before any person buys any share the statute requires that there be placed before him, in large type, Section 125 of the Bank Act, which informs him that this bank becomes insolvent, the shareholder will be liable to pay once more an amount equal to the par value of his shares. This is what is known as "double liability." Since the Bank of Canada was opened the double liability has been slightly modified and, as this central bank under government control, more and more the right of note issue, the double liability of chartered bank shareholders will be further adjusted.

You will see that the law puts a serious responsibility upon the shareholders and deliberately forces it upon his attention, in order that those who are going to handle other people's money should realize their responsibility to the full. The people are thus safeguarded against fly-by-night promoters.

When Bank A. makes a million worth of stock in the new bank has been subscribed and half of that amount paid up, this \$500,000 must be placed in the hands of the Minister of Finance. When the Minister is satisfied that the public interest is safeguarded, he returns the \$500,000 to the bank and issues a certificate permitting the bank to open for business. The Bank Act then becomes its charter. Any idea that this bank has to put money into Government Bonds to obtain currency is wholly without foundation.

Canada's Chartered Banks do not enjoy a monopoly of the right to print money. I never heard of any such monopoly. You often hear it said that Canada's Chartered Banks alone can "make money" and that we can print our own notes and circulate them in unlimited amounts—such statements are absolutely false. Up to 1934 each Chartered Bank had the right to issue notes—not in unlimited amounts—but only up to the amount of the capital actually paid up. There were two exceptions to this rule—the first was that we were permitted to make a

small amount of note issue for a limited period only, for crop moving purposes. The second exception was that over our capital we could issue dollar for dollar against gold or Dominion notes, deposited in the central gold reserve. These exceptions are no longer in force.

With the Bank of Canada established, and controlled by the Dominion Government, we can now issue our own notes only up to sixty per cent of the amount of our paid-up capital. Every year there is to be a further reduction. The Bank of Canada issues notes and the note issue right of the Chartered Banks is progressively cut down the Bank of Canada's note issue will take its place. In other words, the right to issue our own notes is being steadily taken from us and vested in the Bank of Canada, which, I would remind you, is the Government's central bank, not a chartered bank.

I pointed out, in an earlier broadcast, that no business is subject to such complete control and such Parliamentary scrutiny as are the Chartered Banks. Can you name another business in Canada in which every company charter automatically expires at one time and can only be renewed after Parliamentary investigation?

Although the Bank Act can be amended at any time by Parliament every ten years bank charters expire and the Act is thrown open for what is known as the "decennial revision"—which is a most awe-inspiring and searching inquiry, conducted by the Banking Commission of the Privy Council, the Hon. Mr. Norman Hughes, M.P. for Winnipeg; Mr. J. C. Lander, M.P. for Calgary East; and Mr. Victor Guelch, M.P. for Toronto. These are the members of the Banking and Commerce Committee. It is a large Committee with every Province and every political party represented, so you see that the people do not lack in any sense for the most penetrating examination of the business of banking. Who regulates the banks? Not other than the Canadian people, through their elected representatives.

Into the Bank Act, by reason of the work of the Committee from year to year, have been put all of the changes arising from the lessons of the past.

Now I would like to deal with the services that a bank performs. These are many and varied. The bank accepts and safeguards your deposits and extends the credit based upon them to responsible people.

Alberta folk will easily follow the illustration of bank credit I'm now going to give you. This is harvest-time and in the farthest parts of the Province the farmer is starting to haul his grain to the elevator. When he delivers his wagon-load there, he gets a grain ticket.

He takes the ticket into the bank and the bank gives him cash for it.

What does the bank do with the grain ticket?

At the end of the day the bank lists separately all of the grain tickets issued by each elevator company. It sends them to Calgary or Winnipeg, to be collected from the Elevator Office of the Elevator Company which issued the tickets.

How does the Elevator Company redeem the tickets? During the movement of the heavy crop, such a company is not likely to have sufficient funds of its own to purchase all of the grain handled from day to day.

So the bank advances the sum required against the security of the grain, until the buyer in Liverpool pays for it. The bank collects from him. The proceeds go to the grain company which pays off the money the bank advanced.

What happens is this:

The farmer gets his cash on delivery of the grain to the elevator, without any waiting. And the bank provides credit from that moment on, until the grain is paid for, probably some time later.

**Watch for Announcement Giving Dates and Times of Fifth Broadcast. Be Reproduced in This Newspaper.**

Let me point out that the "tickets" were anchored to something—in this case they were anchored to the most form of real wealth—wealth—grain, newly produced from the soil. You know no ship can be anchored safely unless the anchor is firmly embedded in something.

We extend bank credit to people who can, with some certainty, be expected to repay. We can only lend to responsible people because we ourselves are responsible to the depositors.

The banks provide the machinery for carrying out dozens of widely-varied, day-to-day transactions; simplifying business and facilitating the exchange of goods and services. The bank provides a place for you to leave in safe custody valuable documents or other papers; your title deeds; your life and fire insurance policies; valuable cash as jewelry; and stocks and bonds. The bank collects your commercial bills, either at home or abroad. It transfers money from one part of the country to another, as you may require; and it takes care of shipment and forwarding of securities. These are only examples of the services a Chartered Bank performs.

No doubt many of our listeners have been told that banks simply swap cheques. There seems to be an idea that there is never any settlement between banks. Here is another handy illustration: Tom Bellamy, in Calgary, runs a clothing store and Jim McGregor goes in to buy a suit of clothes. He gives Tom Bellamy his cheque for \$125.00. The cheque is drawn on Jim's bank—let's call it Bank A. On the other hand Tom does business with Bank B so Tom deposits Jim's cheque in Bank B and immediately gets credit for the face amount.

But then what happens? Does Bank B simply send the cheque to Bank A, and does Bank A simply cash that cheque and destroy it, after deducting the \$25.00 from Jim's account?

No—what does happen is this—Before Jim McGregor's cheque gets back to Jim's bank it has to go through the Clearing House. The Clearing House is part of a national system, under which settlements are effected through the Bank of Canada. Daily each bank gathers together and totals the cheques deposited with it which are drawn upon each of the other banks. Every morning these are taken to the Clearing House. Where it is found that one bank has a balance due to it from any other bank, the difference is settled daily, through the Bank of Canada, by the payment of cash—not chartered bank bills—cash. The ultimate settlement through the Clearing House system is altogether ignored, or is too little understood, by many of those who criticize the Banks.

It is so difficult to understand when reduced to its simplest terms. We point out to you that, if Jim McGregor's cheque was the only cheque issued that day, Jim's Bank, Bank A, would have had to pay to Tom Bellamy, Bank B, the sum of \$25.00 in cash—bills of the Bank of Canada.

But because between banks is ultimately settled in cash.

Now who owns the banks? There are more than 49,000 shareholders in Canada's Chartered Banks. There are more than 49,000 shareholders in Alberta. Most of the shareholders are small—the average is less than 30 shares. Many of the shareholders are women to whom bank shares have been settled or Trustees who hold the shares for Estates of persons who have died. Many others are individuals who, after a lifetime of toil have set their farms, or other holdings, and treated their money in bank shares as a source of income. These are examples to show the kind of people who own Canada's Banks. These are the people who are accused of being a part of the "billionaire ring." They are mostly Canadians, your fellow-citizens, and most of the business that is done by their banks is Canadian.

Let me point out that the "tickets" were anchored to something—in this case they were anchored to the most form of real wealth—wealth—grain, newly produced from the soil. You know no ship can be anchored safely unless the anchor is firmly embedded in something.

We extend bank credit to people who can, with some certainty, be expected to repay. We can only lend to responsible people because we ourselves are responsible to the depositors.

The banks provide the machinery for carrying out dozens of widely-varied, day-to-day transactions; simplifying business and facilitating the exchange of goods and services. The bank provides a place for you to leave in safe custody valuable documents or other papers; your title deeds; your life and fire insurance policies; valuable cash as jewelry; and stocks and bonds. The bank collects your commercial bills, either at home or abroad. It transfers money from one part of the country to another, as you may require; and it takes care of shipment and forwarding of securities. These are only examples of the services a Chartered Bank performs.

No doubt many of our listeners have been told that banks simply swap cheques. There seems to be an idea that there is never any settlement between banks. Here is another handy illustration: Tom Bellamy, in Calgary, runs a clothing store and Jim McGregor goes in to buy a suit of clothes. He gives Tom Bellamy his cheque for \$125.00. The cheque is drawn on Jim's bank—let's call it Bank A. On the other hand Tom does business with Bank B so Tom deposits Jim's cheque in Bank B and immediately gets credit for the face amount.

But then what happens? Does Bank B simply send the cheque to Bank A, and does Bank A simply cash that cheque and destroy it, after deducting the \$25.00 from Jim's account?

No—what does happen is this—Before Jim McGregor's cheque gets back to Jim's bank it has to go through the Clearing House. The Clearing House is part of a national system, under which settlements are effected through the Bank of Canada. Daily each bank gathers together and totals the cheques deposited with it which are drawn upon each of the other banks. Every morning these are taken to the Clearing House. Where it is found that one bank has a balance due to it from any other bank, the difference is settled daily, through the Bank of Canada, by the payment of cash—not chartered bank bills—cash. The ultimate settlement through the Clearing House system is altogether ignored, or is too little understood, by many of those who criticize the Banks.

It is so difficult to understand when reduced to its simplest terms. We point out to you that, if Jim McGregor's cheque was the only cheque issued that day, Jim's Bank, Bank A, would have had to pay to Tom Bellamy, Bank B, the sum of \$25.00 in cash—bills of the Bank of Canada.

But because between banks is ultimately settled in cash.

Now who owns the banks? There are more than 49,000 shareholders in Canada's Chartered Banks. There are more than 49,000 shareholders in Alberta. Most of the shareholders are small—the average is less than 30 shares. Many of the shareholders are women to whom bank shares have been settled or Trustees who hold the shares for Estates of persons who have died. Many others are individuals who, after a lifetime of toil have set their farms, or other holdings, and treated their money in bank shares as a source of income. These are examples to show the kind of people who own Canada's Banks. These are the people who are accused of being a part of the "billionaire ring." They are mostly Canadians, your fellow-citizens, and most of the business that is done by their banks is Canadian.

Let me point out that the "tickets" were anchored to something—in this case they were anchored to the most form of real wealth—wealth—grain, newly produced from the soil. You know no ship can be anchored safely unless the anchor is firmly embedded in something.

We extend bank credit to people who can, with some certainty, be expected to repay. We can only lend to responsible people because we ourselves are responsible to the depositors.

84

## Fire Prevention

(Continued from page 3)

fire prevention, is to conscientiously face a menace of heavy fires and sweeping conflagrations.

Why tolerate a condition which not only results tribute upon life and property but in an often increasing amount of cost to the conduct of every feature of business activity and increases the burden of the people in providing the necessities of life.

We cannot afford to go on and be indifferent to it all. Fire Prevention Week is a particular week set aside to call attention to the danger of fire. Are you doing your part?

### These Simple Suggestions, if Followed by Everyone in the Family, Will Make Your Home Safe From Fire.

Put lighted matches and smokes out before you throw them away. Keep matches where small children cannot reach them. Never smoke in the garage, barn or attic, nor in bed.

Remove rubbish, waste papers and all unnecessary combustible materials. Provide your home with a fire extinguisher.

Burn rubbish only in a safely covered brick or metal incinerator. Watch the fire.

Examine all stoves, furnaces, and smoke pipes to make sure they are safe and well away from woodwork. Remove all flammable materials. Have needed repairs made at once.

Value the advice of your fire chief who says that many fires are caused by dirty or defective chimneys. Have the chimneys cleaned regularly, and have all defects repaired.

Escape the danger of flammable liquids first, and explosions by keeping no gasoline in the house. Do dry cleaning with safe liquids or send the work to the cleaner. Never start fires with kerosene.

Notify the electric company of electrical trouble and the gas company of gas leaks. Replace "blown" fuses with new ones—no "jumpering." Avoid homemade wiring jobs. Don't look for gas leaks with a match.

Teach everyone in the family to be careful of fire, to watch stoves, fire-

places, electric fires and all other possible fire causes, and everyday to remove old rag, papers and other rubbish.

Preproof your home as far as possible by fire-safe roofing, fire stopping in hollow walls and partitions to prevent the spread of flame, and non-combustible basement ceiling.

Inquire of your fire chief, who buys a continuous education in the art of getting the right kind. Don't hesitate to ask your fireman whenever you have a question on fire prevention.

Remember always where the nearest fire alarm is and how to send an alarm. If telephoning, be sure the

address is clearly understood. Use a neighbors phone rather than the one in the burning building.

Explain to everyone in the house what to do in case of fire, how to put out fire in clothing by wrapping in rug or blanket, what to do when grease catches fire in the kitchen.

Save life and property from needless destruction by fire by keeping the principles of fire prevention always in mind and never taking a chance with fire.

The saddest failures in life are those that come from not putting forth the power and will to succeed.

### IDEALS

The strength and greatness of a nation do not lie in the richness of its soil, nor in the money bags of its traders, nor in the glitz of its entertainers, but in the devotion of its citizens to a lofty ideal of public and private duty, in the love for all that is great and good and beautiful, and the hatred of all that is false, evil, mean, selfish, and base.

It is the duty of every citizen to use his knowledge and his readiness to apply it to the making of life larger, fuller, and happier for all—B.M.M.

It is easy enough to forgive your enemies if you have not the means to harm them.—Hendrich Heine.



**LOUIE CONN. Phone 7****Men's and Boys' Wear Specials**

The Mens of the Famous S. H. Wilson at Australian Prices.  
 Boys' Winter Coats, Regular \$24.00 on Sale at... 50c  
**CLEARING LINES IN MEN'S AND BOYS' WEAR**  
 Boys' Leather Gloves, Regular 75c, Clearing at... 50c  
 Polo Wool Stockings, Some Worth 75c per pair, Clearing at 50c  
 Jersey Gloves for Kids, Reg. 2 to 5 Pairs, Clearing at 15c, 2 Pairs 35c  
 Boys' 10 c. White Rib Overall Pants, Reg. 65.15, Clearing at \$1.39  
 Blue or Red, Very Large Size, Headacheache, Reg. 20c each—  
 Special at 10c each or 2 for... 35c  
 Underwear, Socks, Wool or Leather, Mitts, Pajamas, Leather  
 Coats of All Kinds, Flat Shoes, Rubbers, Overcoats, All Fresh Stock  
 and Very Low Prices, Come In and Look Them Over  
 Men's Sweaters of All Kinds, Pajamas, Coat Sweaters, Button or  
 Zipper Front, Come In and Look Them Over.  
 Men's Shirts, Work or Dress, All at Special Prices. Prices from 50c up  
 Clearing Lines in Cigarette Lighters, Tobacco Pouches, Pipes,  
 Flasks, Razor Blades, Razors, Cams, Watches, Jewelry of all kinds  
 at VERY LOW PRICES  
 Stone Jars, Any Size, per Gall, each... 35c  
 20 Gall. Hard Wood Barrels, Worth \$2.50 to \$3.00, a Few Left at \$2.00  
 Don't Forget the Indians are bringing in a Good Grade of Coal, well  
 Sifted and Lump, Price: White the roads are good, \$3.50 per  
 Ton, Try a Load.

**Meat Specials for Saturday**

Boiling or Steaming Meat, Special per pound... 7c  
 Choice Roast from 10c to 15c... 50c  
 Ham, 5 lbs. 25c... 50c  
 Bacon, Bacon, Wafers, Ham, Sausages, fresh and always on hand.  
**FRESH FRUITS FOR WEEK-END AT REAL PRICES**  
 Macintosh Apples, Just in, Special at per Case... \$1.75  
 Prunes, Last Call, No. 1... \$1.15  
 Grapes, Fresh Stock, Special per Bk... 50c  
 Oranges, Large Size, 3 Dozen... \$2.00  
 Bananas, Special, 10 lbs... 50c  
 Cranberries, per lb... 35c

**GROCERY SPECIALS**

Coffee, Best Brand, Choice & Sandborn, per lb. Only... 39c  
 Tea, Red Rose, Reg. 25c, on Sale at... 50c  
 Jams, Peach, Bramble Jams, or Loganberry, Pats, per tin... 50c  
 Pancake Flour, 5 lb. Sacks on Special at... 15c  
 Lard, Pure, 5 lb... 50c  
 Flour, 80, No. 1 Brand, Only... 35c  
 Rolled Oats, Premium, Special at... 39c  
 Salt Special, Free Ranging at per pk., Only... 10c  
 Soap Chips, No. 1, White, Special at 3 lbs. for... 50c  
 Face Soap, Calum, Many Flavors, Carbolle, Camelline, Castile,  
 or Any Other Assorted, 4 Bars for 35c or 15 Bars for... \$1.00  
 White or Yellow Napha Soap, 6 Bars for 35c or 35 Bars for... \$1.00

**AFTER EVERY MEAL**  
  
**AIDS DIGESTION**

*Make plans now  
 to modernize  
 your property*

Why not take advantage of the Home Improvement Plan?

Our nearest branch manager will gladly furnish full particulars of the unusually favorable terms to borrow money with which to improve your property.

Write or call for descriptive booklets

**The BANK of  
 NOVA SCOTIA**  
 OVER A CENTURY OF BANKING SERVICE

**Arrowwood Notes Crowfoot Notes**

Don't forget the Curling Club Dance to be held on Friday, Oct. 15th.

The Curling Club will hold their first meeting of the season on Monday with Miss Lee as Captain and Miss Joan Clifton as Lieutenant. There are 15 curlers at present. Patrol Leaders are: Grace Board, with Myrna Lord as her Second; Clara Beagle, with Madeline Culp as her Second, and Marion Shewan, with Rhonda Dible as Second. The Guides have arranged to meet on Monday afternoon, in the Social Credit Hall. News of the Curling Club will be in the next issue.

Mrs. Mary Margaret Sheoran left last Thursday for Edmonton, where she will resume her studies and teaching. Mrs. J. Kilhorne returned to her home in Bassano, after visiting for the past few weeks in Arrowwood.

Mr. J. Hesketh arrived home from Crossfield on Sunday, returning on Monday. He was accompanied by Miss Vera Hesketh and Miss Dorothy Brown.

The sympathy of the district is extended to Mr. P. L. Pike in the loss of his brother, who died at Crossfield on Sept. 25th.  
 J. L. Pike  
 Jeremiah Litchy Pike, 63, Crossfield farmer, died Wednesday evening, Sept. 25th, in a Calgary Hospital. He lived in Alberta for 34 years and was born in Dyrham, Iowa. Surviving are a sister, Mrs. S. L. Harris, Crossfield; and three brothers, Peter, Arrowwood; Abel, Kansas City; and Rev. C. L. Pike, Kansas City. Funeral services were held on Tuesday at Crossfield, from the Baptist Church, A. M. Harris in charge of funeral arrangements.

**Fares Reduced**

for  
**THANKSGIVING  
 DAY  
 Week-End**  
 Between all stations in Canada  
 Good Going from  
**12 Nn. OCT. 8 UNTIL  
 2 p.m. OCT. 11**  
 Except—Good-n.m. Trains  
 O.C. and where no p.m. Train.  
 GROUP GOING UNTIL  
**OCT. 12, 1937**

**Fare & One-Quarter**

FOR THE ROUND TRIP  
 Ask the  
**Canadian Pacific**

At a meeting held recently at the home of Mrs. Hettiebow, of all the telephone members, Mr. Thomas Melton was elected president of the Company, taking the place of Mr. Holman, who leaves this week for his new home in Westlock. The remainder of his family will leave about the end of the week.

The last few rains in the district were the best we have had for years. Something around two inches of rain has been soaked down well into the ground. Everybody is feeling very optimistic, feeling that possibly the dry cycle has broken as has been predicted by many scientists.

Very few cars have traveled the element as all side roads are almost impassable. Ask Andy Jacobson, Mr. Plaher, the Nova Scotia horse buyer, is again buying horses in the neighborhood.

Mrs. Kemp and Mrs. Hettiebow spent the day with Mrs. Fred Fairvair of Cluny on Monday.

The Menomonee Colony looks quite cheerful now as many families moving away. Eleven altogether have moved.

Mr. E. Bray was a Calgary visitor Wednesday.

**GRIEFS**

Some of your griefs you have cured, And the sharpest you still have survived. But what torments of pain you endured From the evils that never arrived—



**BORN AT BASSANO HOSPITAL**

MONTGOMERY—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Montgomery of Husar, a daughter on September 20th, 1937.

KROEGER—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kroeger of Cluny, a son on October 7th, 1947.

**Free Advertising Menace**

The following are true copies of correspondence between the editor of the Trochu Tribune and Mr. A. J. Allmatt, Director of Public Relations, at Edmonton. They are taken from a recent issue of the Trochu Tribune, and explain themselves. We reprint these for your information, and leave your readers to draw their own conclusions.

Parliament Bldg., Edmonton, September 30, 1937

The Editor:

Trochu Tribune.

Dear Sir:

An information Bureau has been established by the government for the purpose of giving out information regarding the changes which may be looked for in the very near future.

It is felt by the writer that the local newspaper is by far the best way of disseminating the knowledge and commencing next week a regular bulletin will be issued to each weekly newspaper throughout the province.

Especially with regard to banking reform legislation and other such important matters the people are seeking enlightenment and I think the value of your paper as a source of interest and information will be considerably enhanced by catering to their needs. It is not the intention that these bulletins should contain anything of a political nature and I trust that you may find them sufficiently valuable to accept them in the spirit in which they are offered.

Yours truly,

A. J. ALLMATT,  
 Director of Public Relations

Here is the editor's reply:

Trochu, Alta, Sept. 24, 1937  
 Mr. A. J. Allmatt,  
 Director of Public Relations,  
 Parliament Building,  
 Edmonton, Alta.

Dear Sir:

Your letter under date of Sept. 20 to hand. The writer is rather surprised that a former newspaper man like yourself should attempt to put over that old chestnut of "free publicity" on his former colleagues.

If the government of the Province of Alberta thinks the newspapers of Alberta are of any value in helping to mould public opinion in this province, I would respectfully suggest that you, as Director of Public Relations, remind the government that newspaper publishers, their wives and families, require food-clothing and shelter, and that it costs money to even

**ORPHEUM THEATRE**

BASSANO, ALBERTA

FRIDAY and SATURDAY, OCT. 22nd and 23rd  
 FAY GRIFFIN and HENRY FONDA in

**"Slim"**

Great as a Novel! Spellbinding as a Motion Picture!  
 With a four star cast and the most unusual action shots ever photographed.

**SPECIAL THANKSGIVING DAY ATTRACTION**

Ralph Bellamy in

**"Wild Brian Kent"**

A real Western picture that brings thrill to those who are fortunate enough to see it.

SHOW STARTS AT 8.30 P.M.

MORE OF

**THE FACTS**

ABOUT

**Banking in Canada**

Will Be Told to You By

Canada's Chartered Banks

In Another 15-Minute Broadcast

Tuesday Evening, Oct. 12

8.30 to 8.45

WITH A DAYTIME BROADCAST OF THIS ADDRESS

Wednesday Noon Oct. 13th

12.30 to 12.45

**Over Stations**

CFCN	1030 kilocycles
CJCI	690 kilocycles
CFAC	930 kilocycles
CJOC	950 kilocycles
CJCA	730 kilocycles
CFRN	960 kilocycles

**LISTEN IN!**

**ATTENTION!**

NOW IS THE TIME

To change to Winter Lubricants, especially in the transmission and differential of your car. Avoid difficult shifting of gears due to summer lubricants in cold weather. Why run the risk of repairs, when with very little outlay you can have this matter attended to at once.

WE CARRY A COMPLETE LINE OF TEXACO WINTER LUBRICANTS

**BASSANO GARAGE AND SERVICE STATION**

Always at Your Service. Your Patronage Would Be Appreciated  
 F. Hayes, Prop.

**Announcement**

I Wish to Announce that I have Taken Over the General Store and Imperial Oil Station at Rock Bottom Prices, and

**MAKEPEACE**  
 Formerly operated by P. Holman, and I will Appreciate Your Business. Before you send your order out of town come and see me for Rock Bottom Prices, and

Prompt and Courteous Service

**V. G. Campbell**  
 MAKEPEACE GENERAL STORE

**Auction Sale**

C. J. BRAY & SONS  
 Sale at Crowfoot  
 Friday, Oct. 22nd, 1937  
 Commencing at 9.30 a.m.  
 "Folien Sells It"

## House of Hobberlin

We are Justly Proud of the New Range of Samples for FALL SUITS and OVERCOATS, Drop-In, Yea Too, Will Appreciate Their Fine Quality and Design, and Remember We Guarantee Style, Fit Workmanship.

### KATYER HOSE

An All Star Line of Lovely Hose for Afternoon or Evening Wear. Be Wise, Buy Katyers. Per Pair \$1.00

### MEN'S SOCKS

Beautifully Blended Colors, Smart Designs of Finest H.V.D. Wools that give Splendid Wear and Comfort. Price 50c to 85c

### GIRLS' HOSE

Fine Satiny Wools, of Fine Rib, give long and satisfactory wear. Ideal Winter Hose for Girls. Sizes 7 to 9 1/2. Price Per Pair 65c to 75c

### MEN'S SHIRTS

New Designs, in Correct Tailored H.V.D. Shirts With Collar Attached. Price \$2.00

### TOWELS

We are offering Splendid Values in These English Towels, Next Patterns of Good Quality Turkish Towelling. Price Per Pair 50c to \$1.50

### ON SALE

Soft, Cozy Flannellette Blankets. The Largest Sizes, The Best Quality, White and Grey, Black and Blue Borders. These Are First Quality and in Pairs. Price Per Pair \$2.75

### GROCERIES

#### FRUIT SPECIAL

- 1 Can Peaches
- 1 Can Red Plums
- 1 Can Apples
- 1 Can Red Cherries

ALL FOR 69c

#### JOHNSON WAX

1 Can Floor Wax  
1 Can Glo Coat Special \$1.19

Johnson Floor Mops, Spec. 50c  
Brooms, A Handy, 5 Strings, Broom, Price 50c

Main Cleaners and Openers, Save Plumbing Bills. Price Per Tin 25c

### FRESH FRUIT

Oranges, Macintosh Apples, Lemons, Bananas, Pears, Cranberries SPECIAL—Fresh, Firm Tokay Table Grapes, 2 lbs. for 25c

## JAMES JOHNSTON

"THE STORE OF QUALITY"

## ATTENTION FARMERS

Farmers are hereby notified that the

### Alberta Pool Elevator at Bassano

Is now open for acceptance of  
Grain Deliveries

## Alberta Pool Elevators

### DON'T CALL A BUTCHER WHEN YOU WANT YOUR RADIO REPAIRED—CALL AN EXPERT

Highest Quality Repairs to All Makes of Radios. Work Fully Guaranteed. Better service at a lower price

### Morrison's Radio Service

Agents for Marconi and Rogers Radios. Remember, we give highest trade in allowances on your old set.

See Us For a Demonstration

Phone 126

Bassano

## It's Fly Time

### USE FLY KIL TO KILL—

Flies, Moths, Mosquitoes and Other Insects by the Thousand.

In Three Sizes:

8 oz., 30c 16 oz. 50c 32 oz. 90c

## STILES, "The Druggist"

"THE RXALL STORE"

## Local and Personal Notes

Mr. Art Wylie was in Calgary over the week-end.

Mrs. (Dr.) McCaffery returned to Brooks Friday with her baby son.

Mr. Art Bowman returned from a holiday in Medicine Hat.

Mrs. Bramley spent the week-end in Calgary.

Mrs. H. G. Barker is visiting her sister Mrs. Snape of Bassano.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Milroy are spending a short vacation in Montana.

Mrs. Belot spent the week-end in Calgary.

Mrs. Rathbone was a Calgary visitor over the week-end.

Mrs. Wm. MacLean spent Saturday visiting in Calgary.

Mr. Huxley Johnson of Calgary was a visitor in town this week.

Mrs. W. J. Redmond is spending the week visiting in Calgary.

Mrs. (Dr.) Scott was among the Calgary visitors on Saturday.

Mrs. Playfair and daughter, Winnifred, were Calgary visitors on Saturday.

Reserve Friday, Oct. 25th, for the Women's Annual Whist Drive and Dance to be held in Bassano.

The local Wheat Pool Elevator is now open for grain handling. With Mr. K. B. Bowman as agent.

Mrs. Harry Beeber and two children Betty Ann and Billy returned Monday from Vancouver.

Mrs. K. Swanson Brooks, spent Thursday visiting with friends in town.

Mr. W. F. Macbeth is expected home over the week-end after holidaying in Ottawa and Minneapolis Minn.

Billy Snape left last week for Calgary where he will attend the Technical school.

The Ladies of the Anglican Church will hold their Annual Bazaar on Dec. 4th.

Mrs. Flanagan and Don, and Mrs. Snape motored to Calgary on Saturday.

Mr. Earl Beck of Lethbridge was a Bassano visitor for a few days this week.

Don't forget the show on Monday night, Oct. 14th. See advt. for particulars.

Mrs. Wm. Honey and son Charles, were visitors in Calgary over the week-end.

Mrs. Heffner and son Henry returned from a holiday spent in the Okanagan Valley the first of the week.

Mrs. T. H. Hunter and Lois of Medicine Hat were visitors at the home of H. T. Johnson on Tuesday from Bassano they motored to Queenstown.

Mrs. Dave Cathro was in Calgary over the week-end and returned with Master Charlie Bulmer who will visit here for a few months.

As Mr. J. V. Elliott, of Husker, is returning to the States, the latter part of the month, a number of sales will be conducted for him by A. J. Servery Watch for posters.

Mr. and Mrs. McCubbons and son passed through Bassano on Monday night en route to London, England, where their eldest son has secured employment. Mr. McCubbons was the Coronation vocalist from Calgary. Mr. McCubbons is a sister of Mrs. Margaret Richards of Bassano. Both Mrs. McCubbons and Mrs. Richards were recipients of a legacy left recently by the death of their father.

## FOR SALE

Child's table and chairs: Inlaid Elmwood, 12x16; Wicker doll carriage; wash stand; baby crib and mattress; 7 inch stove top; bed room chairs; wicker 'kissing' chair. All very reasonable. Apply to K. B. Bowman, Wheat Pool Elevator.

# McKEE'S STORES

"ALWAYS AT YOUR SERVICE"

PHONE 3 FOR PROMPT DELIVERY

## Ladies' Wear and Dry Goods Depts.

You are Invited to Inspect our First Showing of the Very Latest

## Fall and Winter Millinery

Smart, New Hats Ladies and Misses. Featuring the Very Newest Models

Priced 1.95, 2.50, 2.95

A Hat Here to Suit Everyone

Another Delivery of Smart Broadcloth Dresses. The Popular "Gone with the Wind" is a Wonderful Seller, the Famed "Printella" dresses fashioned from high-grade broadcloth in pretty floral patterns, guaranteed fast to wash, each \$1.95

### For the Home Knitter

We Carry a Full Line of the well-known "Monarch Wools," All Colors Guaranteed Fast to Wash. This will be a banner year in Home Knit Garments. We Stock Monarch, Love, Andalusia, Triple Twist, Down, Jumbo, Starlike in all the popular colors.

### Orient Hose de Luxe

Canada's Most Beautiful Hose. Wear the Popular No. 505 Crepe, or No. 120 Service Weights, the Most Popular Orient Numbers. The New Fall and Winter Colors Are Here. Priced \$1.00 per pair

## Ladies' and Misses' Footwear

JUST ARRIVED, the Smartest Models for Fall and Winter, Featuring this Season's Suedes in black or brown, combinations of Suede and Suede and Patents, oxfords, pumps, 1-strap 2.95, 3.25, 3.50, \$4.50

## Harvey-Wood's Snuggles for Ladies

Cosy, Comfortable Winter Wear Panties, Fashioned from Fine Wool Pair 50c and Cotton Mixture, Knitted in Plain or Basket Weave, Price Pair 50c

## Men's and Boys' Wear Department

Men's "Durabuilt" Work Shoes, Black or Brown, Plain Toe or Toecaps, Solid Leather Uppers, Solid Leather No. 1 Bend Soles, Strangely Stitched and Rivetted, Fitted Arch Supports Per Pair \$3.95

### Boys' "King Pin" School Shoes

Solid leather throughout. Not heavy but built for sturdy wear. Come in sizes 10-13  
Sizes 10 to 13, Pair \$2.50  
Sizes 1 to 5 1/2, Pair \$2.95

### Men's Work Socks

Penman and Caldwell makes, cotton and wool mixtures, and heavy pure wool. Warm, comfortable winter socks.

25c, 30c, 40c, 50c pair

### Men's Lined Gloves and Pullovers

All of excellent quality Moosehide, horsehide, cowhide, leathers. All at popular prices.

Lined Gloves and Pullovers \$1.25

Unlined Pullovers 75c, 95c, 1.25

All-wool inside mitts 35c, 40c

### G.W.G. Cowboy King Pant Overall

The popular Rider pants built from heavy 10 oz. Blue Denim. Strongest, Best fitting overall made.

\$2.15 Per Pair

### "Iron Man" Pants

A smart Semi-Dress-Semi-Work pant of wonderful wearing quality. Come in Grey and Brown checks. Pants that give excellent service.

Men's \$2.75, Boys' \$2.25 pair

### Men's Pullovers

G.W.G. Red Strap Overalls in pant or Bib Style. Made from Registered Snoback Blue Denim. Well cut, strongly sewn garments. The popular Red Strap.

Pant Style \$1.75, Bib Style \$2.00

## Grocery Department

### GROCERY SPECIALS

Grand Mere Pea Soup, large tin, 28 oz.

Colored Coconut, Desiccated, long shred.

Pure Red Plum Jam, 4 lb. pail.

Sunny Boy Cereal, 10 lb. bag.

Libby's Sauer Kraut, large tin.

Creamettes, 2 packages.

Gingerbread Molasses, 2 lb. tin.

23c 43c 63c 16c 21c 21c

### PRESERVING FRUIT

Peaches and Prunes are over. We have a few cases still on hand and are in good condition. Also Hyslop Crabs. This week we offer Ontario and B.C. Concord Grapes.

We expect a small supply this week end of Red and Green Peppers and Pickling Onions Also McIntosh Apples, Grapefruit, Crabberries, Head Lettuce, Fresh Tomatoes, Celery, Bananas, Sweet Spuds.

### GROCERIES

Huckleberry Jam, 4 lb. tin.

Canned Blueberries, 2 tins.

Brown and Poison's Flavored Corn Starch.

Chocolate Puffs, fresh stock, pound.

Miracle Yeast, Better baking, Better health.

Clark's Pork and Beans, 10 1/2 size, 3 tins.

Canned Peas, Square Deal Brand, 2 tins.

Snowflake Ammonia Powder, 2 pkgs.